\$3.98 for a \$6.00 Linen Skirt.

Light and heavy weights -nearly all sizes, but only one or two of each kind.

Tailor-made garments - seine trimmed with plaits and straps, others trimmed with buttons, Neatly made, fit and hang

A handsome Linen Skirt that will be as good as new next season and it's costing you but little more than half price.

MOTOR COMPANY

Will Operate Large Cars for Sightseers to View the City.

MACHINE ORDERED

Messrs. Bryan, Noland and Holladay Are the Incorporators. Stock All Taken.

Visitors to Richmond will within a few days be able to see the sights from the top of a great motor car. The leather lunged "barker" with his megaphone will lunged "barker" with his megaphone will personally conduct the travelers and in well rounded sentences will explain the beauties and wonders of the City of Seven hills.

Indeed the lattes of Mindeestey could be moded that it will require their help to make the thing such a success as can be beauties and wonders of the City of Seven hills.

The courselous and it is hoped that

The name of the new company will be the Richmond Motor Transfer Company, which will not only operate a large sight seeing motor car, capable of seating twenty-four passengers, but will carry on a baggage and parcel delivery business. This morning the charter will be asked for by the following Incorporators: Wil-C. Noland, of the firm of Noland

ompany has been asked to finance the venture.

A touring motor car, capable of seating twenty-four passengers, has been purchased through B. A. Blenner, at the price of \$3,500, which will be operated on the streets of the city. A speed of eight miles an hour is guaranteed, and the machine will be built with a view to hill climbing.

The plan is to "pick up" passengers at the companies of these houses will cost \$1,500, and win be equipped with gas, water and modern conveniences.

Work will be started on these buildings to-day, These houses will be occupied by the employes of the Blair-Ruehl Glass Company.

The Powhatan Land Company is composed of Percy S. Boshet, president; Augustine Royall, treasurer, and George E. Gary, secretary.

put them down at any part of the regular route. The price of a trip will be \$1.

ABOUT THE WEATHER.

Temperatures Fallen Locally Heavy Precipitation.

Heavy Precipitation.

The barometer pressure is highest on a north Macific coast, in Montana, over upper Lake region and in Florida. It is lowest in Texas, Nebruska and the middle Atlantic coast. The temratures have fallen from 6 to 22 decess over Montana, Wyoming and Nedia, and have also fallen locally in issachusetts, Pennsylvania, New York, wa and Arkansas, risen in Washing, and remained about stationary else-fere. Precipitation has occurred durithe past 21 hours over nearly all discits cast of the Missisphyl Valley; also the upper Missouri Valley, Heavy in has fallen at Portland, Me., 1,18 rain has fatten at Fortund, Me., 1.68 inghes; New York, N. Y., 1.28 inches; Little Rock, Ark., L88 inches; Oklahoma City, Okla., 1.22 inches, and thunderstorms are reported at New York City, Philadelphia, Pa., Norfolk Va., Hatteras, N. C., Knoxville and Memphis, Tenn, Little Rock, Ark., Dodge City, Kans., and Huron, S. Dak. Light frost is reported at Yellowstone Park, Wyo. The temperature fell several degrees here yesterday afternoon, following a shower.

Visiting His Old Friends.

VISITING FITS Our Friends.

Mr. Joseph P. Blanton, formerly a well-known Virginian, but now a member of the faculty of the University of Missouri, is on a visit to the friends of Missouri, is on a visit to the friends of his boyhood. After spending some time in Richmond he has gone to his old home in Cumberland county, and will leave next Monday for his home in the far

Mr. Blanton is a distinguished gradu-ste of Hampden-Sidney and before enter-ing college was a pupil of Mr. Ellin Mor-riscette in bis school at old Jamestown. Among his classmates was Judge Samuel B. Witt. Mr. Morrissette is now princi-pal of Bellevue School fa this city.

DASH FOR FREEDOM.

Henrico Prisoner Jumps From Wagon and Leads Race,

Several times they have been bombarded with tomatoes and cantaloupes.

Yesterday morning a white prisoner, jumped out of the wagon from under the muzle of a double barrel shotgun and made a dash for liberty through the store of Councilman F. H. Garber, He was followed by Guard Mohangan, and for an hour they played have and seek through alleys, houses, back yards and streets. As the chase continued the crowd became larger, and after an exciting hour the prisoner was recaptured and carried back to the wagon.

He proceeded to become balky and made threats of several kinds. Upon their ar-

He proceeded to become banky and made threats of several kinds. Upon their arrival at Marion Hill, where they are engaged in cutting a new road, he positively refused to pick up the pick. He was brought back to the jail.

NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Blair-Ruchl Glass Company.

JOINT REFUSES

Octogenarian Celebrates Birthday Lawn Party for Veterans.. Wedded in Court.

Mrs. Jane P. Taylor, who resides or lower Bainbridge Street, this city, celeday in Southern Halifax, where she is

heated her eightleth birthday last Monspending the summer with her seven nephews and three nieces, the sons and ughters of her brother, the late John A very enjoyable little service was held

at the neighborhood church in her honor, felicitous remarks being made by the pastor, Rev. W. T. A. Haynes, and Sambar, who closed by tendering his aunt a well filled purse, the gift from the ter nephews and nicces and their children of whom there were twenty-nine, making a total of thirty-nine, all of whom affectionately kissed the aged lady at the close of the service.

Mrs. Traylor will return to the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Gallagher, about September 1st.

Lawn Party for Veterans.

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The members of the Joseph E. Johnston Camp of Confederate Veterans will yeet to-morrow night to arrange for a fawn party to be held in the yard of the court-house for the benefit of the members belonging to that camp.

A committee has already been appointed to draw up plans for the fete, and this committee will report to-night on its arrangements to be suggested. One of the most influential members of the camp stated last night that it was carnestly.

stated last night that it was carnestly hoped the ladies of Manchester could b

The courehouse yard has been secured for the occasion, and it is hoped that the endeavors of the camp will be met with the success it so well deserves.

Lily McKinley, colored, last night swore out a warrant for the arrest of Ochie Waddell on the charge of assaulting and striking her. Waddell was later put under arrest by Officer Moore.

More Men for Glass Works.

Seventeen additional glass blowers and thirty additional boys will be put on the force of the Blair-Ruehl Glass Com-

& Baskerville; Jonathan Bryan, capitalist, and J. Randolph Holladay, vice-president of the Bank of Commerce and Trust.

Officers and Directors.

The officers of the new company will be H. D. Elchelberger, president; W. C. Noland, secretary and treasurer, and the following directors: H. D. Elchelberger, W. C. Noland, Jonathan Bryan, O. J. Sands and J. Randolph Holladay.

The capital stock of the company will be \$15.00.

The company is in the nature of a private enterprise and no bank or trust rompany has been asked to finance the venture.

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Mayor Signs Ordinances. Mayor Maurice yesterday signed the rdinances appointing J. T. Abbott and . R. Hooker, members of the new clear

J. R. Hooker, members of the new clear water committee, and B. M. Robertson and R. T. Puttran, members of the Man-chester annexation committee. Candidate Pulliam's Reply.

Willis C. Pulliam, candidate for the House, yesterday sent the following letter f declination to the challenge of Rives, a rival candidate, for a joint de-bate to be held Friday night in Leader Hall:

"Manchester, Va. "Manchester, Va.,
"August 15, 1905.
"Robert S. Rives, Manchester, Va.:
"Dear Sir,-Your favor of the 14th instant, stating that you would address the voters of Manchester on next Friday night and that you would be

MERCURY

WORSE THAN THE DISEASE

The effects of Mercury and Potash are worse than the effects of Contagious Blood Poison, for which these minerals are generally used. They cannot cure the disease, and in addition set up a poison of their own, producing dyspepsia, by drying up the gastric juices, salivation, sores, mercurial rheumatism, and often necrosis of the bones.

Bowling Green, Ky., Mitchell House.
Gentlemen:—For over four years I suffered greatly from a severe case of Contagious Blood Polson. I went to Hot Springs, staying there four months at a big expense. I then consulted physicians, who prescribed Mercury. Nothing did me any good, in fact the treatment proved more harmful than bencicial. Thus I continued to suffer for four years. I mentioned my case to a friend, years. I mentioned my case to a friend, who told me that S. S. S. had certainly cured him. I at once commenced its use, and in six months could find no trace of the disease whatever. This was about two years ago, and there has been no signs of return. D. M. SANDERS,

double barret shotgun and ish for liberty through the bonson from the blood so that no sign the poisson from the blood so that no sign the poisson from the blood so that no sign the poisson from the blood so that no sign the poisson from the blood so that no sign the system, as do, Mercury and Potash, and the chase continued the crowd ter, and after an exciting hour reasons and the chase continued the crowd the part of the body has been toned up by its purifying and tonic effects. S. S. also removes any effects of the several kinds. Upon their arration Hill, where they are chitting a new road, he positively pick up the pick. He was ck to the jail.

P. M. McCorkle Here.

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Rev. T. M. McCorkle Here.

Rev. Tazewell Morton McCorkle, of Lynchburg is in the city, having been called to the bedside of his sister. Mrs. Thates Corling who is quite ill at her Louise, No. 310 South Third Street.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC Co., Atlanta, Ga.

us and see us side by side, was duly received by me to-day.

"In reply, I will state that I do not consider that there is any necessity for a compliance with your request, and that I respectfully decline your offer. Moreover, I have made other arrangements for Friday night.

"Yours very truly,

"Yours very truly,
(Signed) "WILLIS C. PULLIAM."

Wedded in Court. Wedded in Court.

Fred Tropp and Rebena Jackson, both colored, were merited yesterday morning in the Mayor's Court. Traft, who has appeared anxious to enter upon and dare the unknown dangers of matrimony, had been afforded board and lodging free of all cost in the city jail until such time as the bride-elect could be brought forth and be given the privilege of side-steeping, with free

stepping with Fred.
George Mimms and Hazel Burton were also married later in the day.

Personals and Briefs. Personals and Briefs.

There will be a lawn party given for the benefit of Clopton Street Church to-night and to-morrow night in Burfort's Addition under the auspices of Mrs. Hooker, Mrs. Saunders and Mrs. Grim. Mr. A. T. Pulliam, of Warwick county, is visiting his son, Mr. David L. Pulliam, superintendent of public schools for Manchestor.

W. R. Morton has returned from visit to his mother in Charles City

Misses Alyas and Nellie Angelle will leave to-day for Surry county, where they will remain for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fowlkes, of Hamp-

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Towness Franklin, of Twelfth and Stockton Streets.

Miss Mary E. Morton, daughter of Secretary Morton, of the city water department, will leave to-day to visit Miss Ethel McGee, of Hallsbero.
The Elks' excursion to West Point

The Elies' excursion to West Point wint leave the Southern depot at the foot of Perry Street this evening.

Airs, R. V. Carrington, of Selma, N. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. C. Harding, at Twelfth and Balabridge Streets.

Mrs. Alice Bradshaw and daughter, Miss

Lizzie Bradshaw, are visiting relatives Suffolk.
Mr. J. T. Munn, of the Manhattan Club, formerly a resident of Manches-ter, was in town last night visiting old

The Elks' excursion will leave Manc ter at 5:10 and Richmond at 5:30 P.

to-day.

Mr. Ernest Taylor, who has been visit.

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Mr. Ernest taylor, who has been visiting the city, has returned to Norfolk.

The Buildings and Lands Committee will meet to-night.

Mr. S. E. Nunnally, of No. 119 East Ninth Street, is quite sick at his home.

STEALING PAPERS.

Lad Taken in By Police Likely to Go to Reformatory.

Lynwood Clay, an incorrigible whiteoy, will appear before Justice Crutch field this morning upon a warrant charg

field this morning upon a warrant charging him with stealing copies of The Times-Disputch. The youth was before the court some weeks ago upon a charge of stealing a sum of money and escaped being sent to the reformatory only by the intervention of friends of his mother. It was testified at the trial of the boy upon the previous charge that he was morally irresponsible.

In allowing him to go free once more, Justice Crutchfield said that the reformatory would be the sentence for the next offense. The boy's mother came to the police station last night and took him home. She said that she would ask, the court this morning to sond him to the reformatory. Lynwood Clay is alleged to have stolen the papers from the homes of M. Engelberg, Seventh and Main Streets, Sam Barker, 700 Brook Avenue, and W. G. Rice's, 2521 East Franklin.

GOES TO GRAND JURY.

C. A. Bowen Alleged to Have Spent Postal Company's Money.

Spent Postal Company's Money.

C. A. Bowen, material foreman for the Postal Telegraph Company, was yesterday morning sent to the grand jury by Justice Crutchideld on the charge of grand larceny. He is alleged to have spent about \$200 of the money sont him by the company for expenses of the section gang. Detective McMahon, who worked the case against the accused, succeeded in securing a confession. Bowen admitted that he sociandered the money while on a spree. His arrest was caused by vouchers that he had signed. The company showed no disposition to prosecute, and the matter is with the Commonwealth. Bowen was bonded in the Fidelity and Deposit Company, of Maryland.

Maryland.

It was his custom to purchase the supplies for the section gang, and the charge against him is that he drew money for himself and charged the prount up on youchers for the expense of the company.

DANVILLE WANTS LICKING Will Send Team Here to Go Up

Against the Brownies.

Danwille will have a base-ball team here for the 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th of next month. The first three games for Monday, Tuesday and Wodnesday will be played with Manage Pete Taylor's aggregation from Barton Heights and on Thursday the visitors

nesday will be played with Manager Pete Taylor's aggregation from Barton Heights, and on Thursday the visitors will tackle Manager Wann's nine, knewn as the Brownies. A double-header will be played on Friday, the 15th.

There is every prospect of from four 10 six games of ball here each week from now until the close of the season. Winchester is very anxious to get games with one of the teams in the Twin City League, and negotiations are pending for the securing of dates.

Albert Anthony's Brownies will leave next week for Norfolk and after playing a series of games will go to Emporia to go against the strong team that is now playing in Richmond.

On Sunday Albert's boys will tackle a team in Clifton Forge. An excursion will be run from Richmond to accommodate the large number of rooters who will witness the Sunday game.

WILL THEY SKATE?

People Discussing What Bicycle Police Will Do On Icy Streets.

Police Will Do On Icy Streets.

There is a likelihood that two additional bleycle policemen will be put to work within a short time. Chief of Police Werner will make such a recommendation to the Police Commissioners. The chief is of the opinion that the subtract could be better patrolled if there were more mounted officers.

While there is considerable talk about the matter at this time, it has been suggested they nothing will be done until after the winter. There are four officers who now to patrol duty on bleycles, and the question has arisen as to what they will do in bad weather.

But the matter will be brought to the attention of the commissioners at an early date and some action taken.

News From the Hospitals.

Mrs. Devault, of Mount Alry, N. C.,
left the Virginia Hospital last night very
much Improved in health.
Mr. Dillon, of near Bluedeld, W. Va.,
who underwent an operation yesterday
at the Retreat for the Sick, is progressing favorably. Dr. W. L. Peple performed the operation,
Mr. Handley was operated upon at the
Retreat for the Sick by Dr. Flegenheimer
and is doing well.

His Name Changed.

in the City Circuit Court yesterday udge R. Carter Scott entered an order hanging the name of William Dandridge dixander Anderson, a son of Attorney-leneral Anderson, to William Alexander



Jell-0 Ice Cream Powder

CE CREAM Four kinds: Van-illa, Chocolate Strawberry and Unflavored. Two packages, 25 cents at all grocers.

The Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Hoy, N. Y.

COMPLAINT AS TO COAL. Contractor Said Not to Be Fur

nishing Run of Mine.

Complaint was longed in the Health Committee last night against the Richmond Coal Company, of which ex-Alderman John M. King is manager, alleging that the contractor was not furnishing the class of coal to the crematory for which the city burgained.

The superintendent of the crematory made a statement, as did also Mr. King, and they were widely at variance withone another.

Mr. Fergusson wanted a resolution adopted annulling the contract and awarding it to the next lowest bidder unless Mr. King shall comply strictly with his contract, but on motion of Mr. Grimes a committee composed of Mossrs. Fergusson, Umlauf and Satterfield was appointed to investigate and report at the next meeting.

The contract for run-of-mine coal was awarded to the Richmond Coal Company at \$3.40 per ton, delivered.

The next lowest bidders were Messrs. B. Cottrell and Son. nishing Run of Mine.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

Friend Struck Bottle While Rosa Brown Was Taking Laudanum. Rosa Brown, a negro woman, had a narrow escape from death from laudanum polsoning yesterday morning about 11 oclock. She was suffering with cramps and went to a drug store for some medicine to give her relief. Laudanum was recommended, and Rosa purchised ten cents' worth. She had the bottle to her mouth to drink a small quantity, when another negro woman playfully struck the bottle. Before Rosa could close her throat the entire contents had been consumed. She did not swallow the bottle.

Dr. Pit, of the ambulance corps, worked on the woman for several hours, and she was out last night. Rosa Brown, a negro woman, had s

TWO NEW CHARTERS. Norfolk and Newport News Com panies Are Authorized.

The State Corporation Commission yes certay granted the following charters: erday granted the following charters:
Moore and Wixon Fruit and Produce
Company (Incorporated), Norfolk; W.
Moore, president and treasurer; S. P.
Wixon, vice-president and secretary, both
of Norfolk Chapital, \$15,000. Objects;
Selling and dealing in fruit and produce
of all kinds.
Clarke-Overall and Pants Manufacturer Company (Incorporated). Nowport

Clarke Overail and Pants Ainthocur-ng Company (Incorporated), Nowport Nows; G. E. Clarke, president; C. E. Wood, vice president; I. Goldborg, secre-ary and treasurer, all of Newport News, Capital, \$10,00. Objects; To manufacture and sell, wholesale and retail, pants, over-lils and all sorts, of wearing apparel.

TO FIND THEIR AUNT.

Children of James Adams, of New York, Seeking Mrs. Boon.

York, Seeking Mrs. Boon.

The children of James Adams, or James Alexander Adams, as he went by both names, are anxious to find their aunt, a Mrs. Boon, or Boom, who, they think, is living in Richmond. Their father died in Cuba during the Spanish-American war and in 1902 their mother died and the two girls, Rebecca, 17, and Louise, 10, were taken to Now York to live with one of their relatives. They write that their father always promised to take them to Virginia to visit their aunt, but died before he could do so. They are very anxious to know their father's sister, and want to hear if she is living and what her address is. The letter is signed Rebecca E. Adams, No. 66 Grove Street, New York City.

SMALLPOX GONE.

President Oppenheimer Reports It Stamped Out Here.

It Stamped Out Here.

President W. T. Oppenheimer, of the Board of Health, made a very gratifying report to the Health Committee last night on the subject of smallpox.

If said there were now no cases at the hospital, nor in the city, and he expressed the belief that the dread malady has been stamped out.

There were five deaths from smallpox—one in the city and four at the hospital. There were four cases of varioloid. All the patients recently at the hospital are now gone, and the structure is being renovated and whitwashed.

It has been three weeks since there was a case of any description here. The road is now on the new building, and it will shortly be completed.

KNOCKED HIM DOWN.

Squire Donati Pounds Chap Who Gave Him Sass.

Gave Him Sass.

Mr. V. Donati, lessee of the Broad Street Base-Hail Park, in a very striking manner yesterday afternoon gave his disapproval of improper characters attending the ball games. A young man came to the park with two women and remained until the eighth inning. When they were leaving Mr. Donati spoke to the young man about bringing disorder-py persons to the park and the reply he rectived angered him. With his chubby little hand he smote the chap in the face, causing the aforesaid chap to immediately connect with terra firm. Scrambling up, the made his way to a carriage in waiting and left.

Must Use City Water.

The Committee on Health last night, at the instance of Dr. W. T. Oppenheimer, president of the Board of Health, recom-mended to the Council an ordinance re-quiring all persons to use city water where their pramises connect with city sewers. sewers.
The ordinance is offered as a health measure.

Hurt in Peculiar Manner.

Mr. Percy Brown was struck on the head with a stone thrown by an unknown negro boy yesteriary afternoon. Mr. Brown was returning from his work, and was at the foot of Gninble's Hill, when a rock thrown by some one above him landed on his head, cutting a gash that required three stitches. Dr. Pitt treated his wound.

A call has been issued for a meeting of the Common Council to be held at 8 o'clock to-night. The object of the meeting is to concur in the amended annexation ordinance adopted by the board on Tuesday night. The matter is a formal one and will require but a few moments.

Council Meets To-night.

Woman Bites Another. June Baker, a negro woman from Seventeenth Street, will answer a charge of biling one Bessle Smith, when Justice Crutchfield ascends the bench this morning. June was incarrerated at the Physistation last night.

The Purity of Burnett's Vanilla was never questioned by any pure food commission. Adv.

BISHOP SMITH OUT OF DANGER

Condition of Former Norfolk Pastor Said to Be Much Improved.

STEWARD KILLED BY COOK

Young Married Man Held on Serious Charge—Farmer Editors Leave.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch, NORFOLK, VA., August 16.—Bishor A. Coke Smith, of the Southern Metholist Church, who has been sick at Ashe ville. N. C., is out of danger, informa ville. Bishop Smith is greatly loved by the people of Norfolk.

Cook Killed Steward.

When the steamboat Alabama arrived ere this morning from Baltimore, she had on board the body of a negro, James had on board the body of a negro, James Booker, and the alleged murderer, Charles Blvans, was in irons. An inquest was held, in which it developed that the men had been quarreling for two weeks, and that the quirrel was resumed last night at 8 o'clock off Sandy Point, in Ann Arundel county, Md., where Blvans, the cook, stabbed Joe Booker, the steward, with a butcher knife. Booker died in a few minutes.

Both of the men were colored employes Rnife. Booker died in a few minutes.
Both of the men were colored employes of the boat. The quarrol between them was resumed over a steak, which the steward ordered from the cook, and declared that he would have the cook discharged for not getting it. The cook struck the steward in the back with the long share kulfe of the matrix and he druck the sharp knife of the pantry and he died immediately. Booker came from the vicinity of Richmond. Bivans was held here for the Maryland authorities.

Farmer Editors Leave. The delegates to the first convention of the Southern Agricultural Presidence left Norfolk for their homes to day. B. Morgan Shepperd, of Rich. day. B. Morgan Shepperd, of Rich mond, editor of the Southern Plantei was elected president, and Williar Cooke, of the Southern Fruit Growe published at Chattanooga, was elected secretary-treasurer. The next conven-tion will be held in Atlanta in the fall.

Held On Serious Charge. Held On Serious Charge.
Charles Lowery, aged twenty-five, arrested upon the charge of attempted assault upon Rachel Winter, the threeyear-old daughter of Max Winter, No.
439 Church Street, collector for Philip,
Levy & Company, was called in the
Police Court to-day. The case was continued until to-morrow.

Young Lowery is married and has two
children. He is said to be addicted to
the use of drugs, and it is further stated
he was some time ago sent away to a
sanitarium. Attorney R. T. Thorp is to
defend the prisoner. A large number
of witnesses have been summoned for
the defense.

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Young Man Stabbed.

Charles Cook, thirty years of age, lies in his room over Stroud's Upper Church Street saloon in a desperate condition as the result of a severe knife wound in his side, said to have been inflicted by Frank Grubb, twenty-one years of age, who has not been apprehended. The affair occurred in a Church Street store run by Grubb's father, J. S. Grubb, who has been arrested as an accessory and halled in the sum of \$500 for his appearance. It is charged by the police that Grubb advised his son to leave, and for this the father was arrested. Cook's physicians pronounced him to be in a serious condition, and 4 was feared ho might not live. Cook and young Grubb are said to have had a petty quarrie and the cutting was an outcome of this.

TERRIFIC STORM.

Man Killed By Lightning and Mill Dams Carried Away.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STEVENSVILLE, VA. August 16.—
There was a most unprecedented storm
a this community Monday. The rain when almost every mill-dam in King and Queen, Essex, King Willam and Middlesex was carried away.

The electrical storms have been unusually frequent and severe. In this place the lightning has struck twice. Sunday night, besides killing a man and burning a stable, Mr. George Langford had a valuable cow killed. The corn crops are seriously injured and the yield will be very short.

BLAND SURRENDERS.

Negro Who Killed Major Page, Will Plead Self-Defense.

Will Plead Self-Defense.

William Bland, the negro who several days ago shot and killed Major Pago, another negro, surrendered himself to Captain Rice, of the Second District, yesterday afternoon. Bland said that he had been in the city since the shooting, and after a talk with his father had decided to surrender himself to the police. Detective Wiltshire had learned of the man's whereabouts and intended to capture him last night.

Bland will make the plea of self-defense. Either this or accidental shooting is believed to be a strong plea for him. No malice was shown at the coroner's inquest, and the officers are inclined to the belief that the negro fired the revolver by accident.

STRIKE DOESN'T PAN OUT. Carpenters at Work, and Ap-

parently Satisfied.

parently Satisfied.

"It was all smoke and no fire," said a carpenter yesterday when asked about the proposed strike of all the carpenters in the city. The workman was busy with his saw at the time annd appeared to be perfectly satisfied with the was supposed to work.

The contractors have met the mechanics half way and offered to allow them to work eight hours if they desire, but for only eight hours if they desire, but for only eight hours for a day's work and that the wage for nine hours work should be eight hours for a day's work and that the wage for nine hours work should be paid. This was the thorn in the side of the contractors, many of whom had taken contracts for buildings and inseed their estimates upon the cost of labor.

There are not more than four or five carpenters in the city at the present time who are out of employment, and any sne of these could find work if he desired.

Woman Seriously Burned.

Gans-Rady Company.

One-Third Off

the price of every Mixed and Fancy Suit in the house for man or boy-plenty of all sizes-suitable for now and early fall.

Gans-Rady Ompany.

at her home, No. 510 North First Street, yesterday afternoon. The child was playing near the stove when her clothing playing near the stove when her clothing lighted. Neighbors smothered the flames ignited. Neighbors smothered the flames in time to save the child's lifte. Dritt, of the ambulance, was called at once and dressed the wounds.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ON PENSION ROLL. Four Policemen Now Receiving Benefit of Association.

Benefit of Association.

The board of directors of the Police Benevolent Association met last night and transacted a lot of routine work. Sergeant Thomas was placed on the pension roll, he having been retired about two weeks ago.

The lotal receipts from the annual picture of the association at Westhampton Park amounted to \$565.68.

There are now four officers on the pension roll of the association. They are officers Sweeney. Thomas, Allen and Cousins.

Dropped Dead at His Work. Major Cottrell, a negro, 25 years old, dropped dead while at work at Belle Isle yesterday morning. Coroner Taylor was notified and viewed the body. An inquest was unnecessary. A hurried call was sent for the ambulance also, but life was extinct when Dr. Pitt arrived. The negro lived at 200 Byrd Street and was apparently in good health yesterday morning.

Aplied the Keen Edge. Robeccah Braxton was charged with elontously outling one Hester Stevens with a knife with intent to maim, dis-igure, disable and kill the said Hester. Rebeccah will explain this morning her easons for going into the carving busi-

While of course, no steps will be taken looking to the naming of Captain O'Bannon's successor until after the funeral, there is an impression that the sen of the dead officer, Mr. S. M. O'Bannon, may succeed his father. He has been in the office for a long time and is thoroughly familiar with its workings. West Main Street Residence.

His Son May Succeed Him.

Mrs, Margaret Miller yesterday bought the property at No. 914 West Main Streat for 12.875. The house and lot was sold at auction by Edward S. Rose and Com-THE FUNERAL OF

CAPTAIN O'BANNON Faithful Public Officer and Citizen to Be Laid in Holly-

wood To-day. There was universal sorrow about the Capitol and State offices yesterday or account of the death of Captain 3; H O'Bannon, Superintendent of Public ng, who died at his home in Barto

O'Bannon, Superintendent of Public Printing, who died at his home in Barton Heights Tuesday night.

The funeral will take place from Barton Heights Baptist Church at 10 o'clock this morning, and the services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. P. Scott. Captain O'Bannon had long been a member of the Baptist church and was a regular attendant upon services.

The interment will be made in Hollywood Cemetery. The gentlemen who will be pail-bearers:

Active—Messrs. R. L. Glinn, Walter T. Booth, John R. Charlton, Everett Waddey, W. L. Ragland and Conway R. Sands.

Honorary—Dr. J. H. Garlick, Petersburg; Alex. H. Sands, Charles C. Rady, Clyde W. Saunders, Colonel Morton Marye and Hon. E. C. Folkes.

The following members of Lee Camp have ben detailed to attend the funeral; hender the service of the control of the service of the Research of the Revenues, J. C. Bidgood, C. H. Harrington, B. M. Tananan, Captain C. C. Scott, J. W. Thomas and J. S. Van Horn.

Those who will represent the Richmond Typographical Union at the funeral are Messrs. M. R. Pace, Henry Meyer, James Hengan, J. C. Goolsby, T. N. O'Keefe, Finegan, J. C. Goolsby, T. N. O'Keefe, Finegan, J. C. Goolsby, T. N. O'Keefe, Finegan, J. C. Marghy W. H. Mullen.

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OBITUARY.

Mrs. P. J. Flippen.

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Mrs. P. J. Flippen died suddenly at her home on Chestnut Hill yesterday. She had been ill for some time, and her death, though expected, came rather suddenly. The remains will be taken to Cumberland county for burial.

The deceased is survived by her husband and one child.

Sturges M. Morsbouse.

Sturges M. Morehouse. Mr. Sturges M. Morchouse, 72 years of age, died at Patchogue, Long Island, of age, died at Patchogue, Long Island, August 10th.
The burial took place August 14th at Marle Grove Cemetery, Maple Grove, Long Island, Mr. Morehouse was quite well known

in Richmond. Beulah A. Cosby. Beulah A. Cosby,
The funeral of Beulah A. Cosby, little
dustrier of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cosby,
of 604 North Twenty-fourth Street, who
died Sunday morning at 5:80 o'clock,
took place at 11 A. M. Monday, from
the home of her parents.

Samuel R. Jeffries.
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The fuheral of Mr. Samuel R. Jeffries who died Tuesday morning in Virginia Hosnital, will take place this afternoon at Green Bay, where the body has been taken for burlal in the family burying ground. Albert H. Cauthorn.

Mr. Albert H. Cauthorn died yesterday at his home. No. 15 East Clay Street. Tuneral services will be held from the house at 5 P. M. 10-day. Interment will be made at Mechanicsville. Henrica county. There will be no flowers.

Mrs. Elizabeth F. Bockover

be eight hours for a day's work and that the wage for nine hours work should be paid. This was the thorn in the side of the contractors, many of whom had taken contracts for buildings and hased their estimates upon the cost of them.

There are not more than four or five carpenters in the city at the present time who are out of employment, and any one of these could find work if he desired.

Woman Seriously Burned.

Ella Jenkins, a three-year-old negro girl, was seriously burned about the body

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Hilla Taylor, of Narfolk, died this late William Taylor, of Narfolk, see the womaning at the home of her nephew. Dr. Morace P, Taylor, in Newport News, where she had been for two months. She where she had a second stroke of the stroke of the she was a stroke of the she was a stroke of the she was a stroke of the she wa

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
TWYMAN'S MILL, VA., August 16.— Charles F. Morris, son of Mr. Bob Morris, of Oak Park, died in New York Saturday of typhoid fever. The remains reached home yesterday and were interred at Mount Zion Church this morning. Rev. C. F. Conner conducted the service. His Prother, who was in New York with other, who was in New York with m, also has fever and is not expected to

Captain James Guy.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., August 16,-Captain ames Guy, formerly of Portsmouth, and n this city yesterday evening at 7:50 o'clock, at the home of his son-in-law, T. O clock, at the nome of his gon-in-law, I., J. Roland, Princess Anne Avenue, aged eighty-five years. He leaves three daughters and a son—Mrs. Roland and Mrs. E. R. McKenny, of Norfolk; Mrs. E. G. Hudgins, of Portsmouth, and J. T. Guy, of Norfolk.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA. August 16,-Mr. Adolplus W. Phillips was found on the floor of his room dead, this morning by his wife. Heart disease is supposed to be the cause. He was fifty-two years of age and leaves a wife and eight children. He was a native of Henry county and had resided here but a short time. Mrs. Jane Gullick.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., August 16.—The death of Mrs. Jane Gullick, of Gastonia, occurred at the Presbyterian Hospital this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, after an illness, of several months. Mrs. Guillick was the spellet of the late Squire J. G. Gulsick, one of the best known citizens of Gaston county. She was 35 years old, and size survived by her brother alone, Mr. 'E.' W. Mellon, of this city. The remains will be shipped to Yorkville, S. C. in the morning, and the interment will take place at the old family burying ground at Bethel Presbyterian Church.

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CAUTHORN—Died, at his residence, No. 15 East Clay Street, yesterday, ALBERT H. CAUTHORN.
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FILIPPEN—Died, suddenly yesterday, at her home on Chestnut Hill, MRS. P. J. FLIPPEN.
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